Hi guys!
Here the link of the video I told you for our activity:
http://www.youtube.com/watch?feature=endscreen&v=mvxw1TynuTk&NR=1.
Remember what to do:
1. Watch the video more than once to understand as much as you can;
2. Choose the frame you like best;
3. Copy it and paste it on a Word page;
4. Write down a little description of the frame;
5. Send frames + descriptions to me
Understood? I hope so!!!
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CHRISTIAN DE MARCO
http://www.youtube.com/watch?feature=player_detailpage&v=mvxw1TynuTk#t=94s
Sorry I couldn’t get the picture so I copied the URL at the moment the frame is shown...

In this frame there are two American natives, they’re in a village and they’re around a bonfire with a sheet, they’re using smoke signals to communicate. Fire signals are used to communicate with other villages, other people or from station to station. Fire signals where invented in 200 A.C.
The video talks about the evolution of communication. It started with the cavern paintings and from there on it started to evolve. Now communication is used mainly on social medias... more than 96% of teenagers use social medias now.
The first mobile phone was invented by Martin Cooper, a Motorola engineer. He did the first call of history in New York, on April 3, 1973, with a prototype of a mobile phone. This prototype cost to Motorola about a million dollar and it took another 10 years of development to be marketed. With the name of DynaTAC, the first mobile phone of history invaded stores in 1983 with a price of nearly four thousand dollars (more than nine thousand dollars today) and with many limitations. It weighed more than 1 kg and the battery lasted just 20 minutes, compared to ten hours of charging time. It was without display or additional functions, except those to speak, listen and dial the number. However it was also a huge success. Today mobile phones are a communication tool essential in everyone's life, thanks to the falling prices and the declining size of the devices.

ZAIZ SAAD

In the picture that I want to describe the men are trying to communicate with each other by drawing on the walls of caves in which they live. These drawings are usually of animals such as oxen: this was the first step in a long evolution of communication.
ANNA ZACCARO
I’ve chosen this pic because I think that it’s the first form of both drawing and writing. In this picture we find: hieroglyphics on an obelisk, a pyramid and a Pharaohs’ sculpture... The picture is set in a desert. The Pharaoh’s sculpture’s the façade of the temple of Abu Simbel.

Gloria Greco
This video shows how communication developed during a big period of time. It makes a distinction between past and present. I prefer the new technologies to communicate. The frame I like more is the frame on facebook. It is a social network. People of all the world like it because it helps to know new people and more new friends. I like facebook because I can know everything about my friends but I have not internet and I’m very sad because I can’t stay in contact with them.

SILVIA TOMMASI
In this picture we can see two pyramids and other two important monuments of the Egyptians age. In fact this part of the video says that Egyptians, many centuries ago, invented hieroglyphic writing. This type of writing was a set of little figures like animals (lion, fish, bird). Every pictures had its own meaning, so now we can know what Egyptians said millions years ago.
FABRIZIO GALLO

The Egyptians used hieroglyphic writing. In the picture there are the pyramids and the statues of the Pharaohs. Writing is very important in the life of people. The hieroglyphics were written on walls or stems in Egypt. They have been deciphered thanks to the Rosetta Stone. In it is written a decree in 3 different languages.

FRANCESCO PARLATO

In the picture there are two people who write on a wall. This technique is called graffito and dates back to the prehistoric age. Often the graffiti were made in caves. Ancient people often drew
hunting scenes, or used the graffito to organize hunting tactics. It was an interesting means of communication and it gave birth to the communication through images of our society.

ANTONIO GRECO

In this picture there is the first library of the world. In this library there were 700,000 books and it was very important because it was an important place to communicate with other people on fantastic and important inventions, it was very important to create the modern culture. The library was created in Alexandria of Egypt in 530 BC and it was destroyed in 642 AD.
In this picture there are three big Egyptian’s monuments: we can see the Pyramids of Giza, the obelisk and the temple of Abu Simbel. They’re the symbols of a great and ancient society. Egyptians are very important because they invented a writing system, the hieroglyphic. This system is made of many symbols that must be deciphered.

Facebook is a big social-network in the world. It gives the possibility to communicate all over the world. Everybody has an account with photo, links, status and its friends to chat.
COSENZA CAMILLO
I chose "The first cellular phone" frame because I think that it was a really great invention! At the moment, can we imagine a world without mobile phones?! No, of course! But in 1979, the year of invention, it was very difficult to communicate to other people in other countries and the idea that you could talk to other people easily from home was very innovative!
The first cellular phone was really big! You could not keep it in your pocket! But new smartphones are very manageable and they have countless applications! Can you resist at the wish to text with your friends wherever you are?

CAMERIERE ADELE
Facebook is a social network created in 2004. The site was founded in Cambridge (USA) by a student named Mark Zuckerberg and his companions. The site was designed only for the University of Cambridge at the beginning, and soon it became famous all over the world. Currently there are about one million users who log in at least once a day.

MARIANGELA SANTORO

If Facebook were a country, it would be the world’s 3rd largest

Facebook is a social network launched in February 2004; it is administered by the corporation Facebook, Inc. The social network founded by Mark Zuckerberg was originally designed for students at Harvard University. After it was also opened to high school students and then to all the children over 13 years old. Today Facebook let people chat with friends.